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| It is therefore fair to consider the question of preserving the spruce forests as applying mainly to New England and New York. In Maine there are 420 timber townships, but all of the townships accessible to large rivers are entirely defined of their valuable timber. In New Hampshire at the present rate of cutting, the state forestry commission has said that the entire forest resources would be exhausted in 12 years. Lumberenen in that state cut everything down to six inches at the stump, so that there is no reproduction by growth. Vermont has already reached a point where it can barely supply its home demand.

"The state of New York by constitutional amendments has prohibited the cutting of timber of any kind in a territory covering 40,000 square miles, setting aside the Adirondacks park, which contains 2,807,709 out of 3,585,803 acres of the available spruce area in the state. An appropriation of one and a half million dollars has been made recently for the adjustment of questions between the United States and Canada, and of which the following is an abstract:

"We desire to direct the attention of the American members of the joint high commission to the urgency of a policy which shall protect and preserve our forests. The best authority in the United States on this subject says the denudare and preserve our forests. The best authority in the United States on this subject says the denudare and preserve in the state of the present methods in the state of the present methods in the state of the present methods in the processing the spruce forests and preserve our forests.

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"We desire to direct the attention of the American members of the joint high commission to the urgency of a policy which shall protect and preserve our forests. The best authority in the United States on this subject says the denudation of our forests by pulp mills and saw mills in the four states of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and New York is progressing at the rate of 1,700 square niles per annum. The chief bureau of forestry of the department of agriculture at Washington calculates that forest fires are causing an annual loss of \$20.000,000. In considering the lumber problem, spruce wood constitutes a most important factor. There is no available spruce in the United States west of New York, except a limited amount in West Virginia, a patch of 50,000 acres in Michigan owned by the Niagara paper mills, and a similar area in Wisconsin.

# TO THE ELECTORS OF THE VICTORIA CITY ELECTORAL

We again ask your votes and influence We were returned by large majorities in July last and we ask a renewal of that confidence then expressed. We stand for Constitutional and Responsible Government and are opposed to Personal Government and the Invasion upon the rights of the people by the unversated displayed of people by the unwarranted dismissal of the late Ministry and packing the Legisla-tive Assembly. The development of the natural resources of the Province will ever be a matter of first importance with us. We are opposed to all legislation which excludes capital. We are opposed to the dissemination of views that engen-der sectional feeling between the Mainland and the legislat by we will oppose any reand the Island, but we will oppose any re-distribution measure introduced by the instribution measure introduced by the dovernment that has for its object the weakening of the Island voice in the government of the Province.

The declared policy of the Government to

ency and that of others on the Island will

they and that or others on the Island with have our vilgorous opposition.

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### A NEW WAR AT HAND

Thirty Thousand Filipinos Under-Arms and Ready to Commence Hostilities.

President's Commission Regarded as a Ruse to Gain Time for Gathering Forces.

Aguinaldo Proclaims His Republic and Sets Free All the Span-ish Prisoners.

By Associated Press.

London, Jan. 24.—The Filipino junta. here to-day received a cable message from Agonicillo, Aguinaldo's representative at Washington, declaring that the prospects were improving though the work was difficult.

The absence of direct news from Manila and the receipt of secret intelligence from Washington is causing the gravest anxiety among the Filipinos here. The arrest of Filipinos by Major General Otis and the news that numbers of Filipinos have fled are regarded as most serious occurrences. It is pointed out by the Filipinos that this is exactly what happened in 1896 under Genfollowing day attacked the Spaniards and the revolution broke out. The members of the Filipino junta in this city say they are so anxious to avert war that they cabled to Manila to-day urging the Filipinos "not to start hostili-ties if there is the remotest possibility of averting trouble."

ritories.

Three commission sin New Hampshire have reported that the present methods of lumbering if continued will entail baleful scenic, climatic and economic results, injuring health, property and occupation of all citizens, impairing the industrial development of the state and rendering internittent the flow of the rivers, which are most important to agriculture and manufacture.

"The interests of the public generally as distinguished from those of a class—lumbermen—require the conservation of the forest resources. In view of these serious aspects of the situation we are confident that an enlightened self-interest will impel the treaty makers in dealing which shall keep our future wants in view and which shall not put a premium upon the destruction of great national treasures.

"The present wasteful methods will inflict upon the agricultural interests of the country an injury which will be felt in every part and which in the mountainous regions threatens to become disastrous and irremediable." New York, Jun. 24.—A despatch to the Herald from Manila says: Aguinaldo proclaimed the Philippine republic at Malolos yesterday. There was no public demonstration at Manila.

"The Spanish civil prisoners are to beset free by the insurgents.

"The rival native authorities at Zebu are reported to be fighting and the town is endangered.

"Aguinaldo's government cannot maintain order in the interior of Luzon, and native authorities are often murdered. If Aguinaldo commences hostilities against the Americans the northern provinces will probably attempt to shake off the yoke."

Advisory Board Prepare Scheme

for Canadian Display at the Paris Exhibition.

Lord Herschell Booked for Home-Gentlemen's Furnishings Stere on Fire.

Ottawa, Jan. 24.-The department

trade and commerce has been advised

An order-in-council has been passed promoting Major Pinault, deputy minister of militia, to be lieutenaut colonel. Representatives of leading transportation lines met here to-day to fix summer

that the ship Arcadia which left Quebe in September with the Canadian exhibt for the South African exhibition at Grahamstown, reached Capetown only last

inces will probably attempt to shake off, the yoke."

Manila, Jan. 24.—The Independenciar to-day issued a supplement containing a despatch purporting to come from Malolos, the sent of the rebel government. It comments upon the appointment of the commission and says: "The Filipinos naturally suspect this is a new attempt to humbug. The Filipinos are disillusioned. They believe the commission is a ruse to gain time, till the Americans have accumulated formidable forces, when, America, abusing her strength, will begin a war to ratify her sovereignty."

Reports from the interior indicate that Aguinaldo's authority is now generally recognized. Every available male is being recruited and depots are being established at large towns. The surrounding country is being levied on for supplies and the Filipino troops are living on the fat of the land while the native villagers are compelled to subsist on rice. It is estimated that there are fully 30,000 Filipinos under arms and it is said that there are nearly 50 Maxim guns at Malolos, some of them having been recently acquired. The Filipino military authorities are convinced, they say, that the Americans will be unable to work effectively outside of Manila in the event of hostilities, hence they feel confidence in the future. Many of the Filipino officers complain of alleged discourteous treatment upon the part of Americans at Manila.

Madrid, Jan. 24.—The minister of war, Representatives of leading transportation lines met here to-day to fix summer rates.

Lord Herschell has taken passage for England for February 8.

Beament & Johnson's gents' furnishing store was badly damaged by fire originating in the basement this morning. Pittaway's photograph gallery above was also damaged by smoke and water. The loss is covered by insurance.

The advisory board in connection with the Canadian exhibit at Paris has concluded its preliminary sitting. Minister Fisher says the total space allotted to Canada is 40,000 feet. of which 15,000 is in the main building at 10s. per square foot. These sums are not imposed by the French commissioners, but by the representatives of Great Britain, which country will supply all fittings, motive power, etc., to British exhibitors. The colonial building will be specially erected for the purpose and as other colonies are not taking an active part Canada probably will have the building entirely to herself. The total space allotted to Great Britain, including Canada, is 390,000 feet. The idea in arranging the Dominion exhibit as na such, but provincial governments will be asked to co-operate and to supply an educational display. A speculiarity of the coming exhibition is its division into classes, 120 in number. In one section therefore Canada's exhibition is its division into classes, 120 in number.

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feet. The idea in arranging the Dominion exhibit is to make it purely Canadian. Hence there will be no provincial exhibits as such, but provincial governments will be asked to co-operate and to supply an educational display. A peculiarity of the coming exhibition is its division into classes, 120 in number. In one section therefore Canada's exhibiton its may be side by side with those of France, Austria or the States. It is proposed to make a splendid agricultural and mining display. Dr. Dawson has charge of the latter. Athlete and Sweet Caporal

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# BARBARIANS IN CHINA. Brass Lumps for Gold Nuggets—Steamboats Not Cutting Rates.

Rebels Capture a City and Order Erecution of Civil and Military Authorities.

Other Towns Terror Stricken and Surrendering at the Desper-adoes' Approach.

By Associated Press.

London, Jan. 24.—The Daily Mail publishes the following despatch from Shanghai:

"The An Houi rebels, under the notorious desperado Nui, reinforced by rebels from the province of Ho Nan, attacked the city of Ku Yung on January 10, captured it and ordered the execution of all the civilian and military authorities.

inthorities.
"They have also captured another city and district in the same prefecture, the rebel sympathizers having opened the gates of the town.

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"The rebels are now marching to be-siege Chau Chau, in the province of Kwang Tung, and Kan Chau, in province of Kiang Si.

#### QUEBEC'S WINTER PORT.

Matter Coolly-The German Consul's Part,

to Samoa, and I have reason to believe

AN APPEAL TO CUPIDITY.

Representatives Can Get Nothing

Steamer of the New Line Beset by Ice

Toronto, Jan. 24.—(Special)—The bene-ficial effect of the establishment of the provincial municipal auditor's depart-ment is already manifest. For 1897 the defalcations on the part of municipal officers totalled over \$100,000. For the year just closed they will not come to one-quarter of that amount. on Her Second Inward Trip. Quebec, Jan. 24—(Special)—The steamer Gaspesia, of the Canadian steamship line, has been sighted three miles southeast of Lanseauz Gaseon making very slow headway through scattered ice. She is on her second trip to Canada.

#### TOO MANY BENEDICTS. THE SAMOAN TROUBLE.

Powers Concerned Taking the Canadian Artillery Discharging Men Married Without Military Authority.

Kingston, Jan. 24.—(Special)—Fifteen London, Jan. 24.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times, dealing with the Samoan difficulties, says: "No proposal has yet been made for a conference as or eighteen men connected with "A" Battery, Kingston, who married without permission of the authorities, are to re-ceive their discharge.

Kingston, Jan. 24.—(Special)—Fifteen or eighteen men connected with the permission of the authorities, are to receive their discharge.

THE SENATE'S VETO.

Sir Charles Says It Has Always Been Endorsed by the Electors.

Sir Charles Tupper, upon his recent arrival in Canada from England, was interviewed respecting Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the proposal say in the scante of Canada, and the proposals made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier in his recent speech at Montreal, I cannot the commission. Among the name of the great fundamental principles of the constitution of Canada, which was adopted in Confederation, and adopted not by the guarantee that proportionately the middle without the silghtest shadow of the crown should be exercised by the guarantee that proportionately the spent of the mode in which the senate of the different parties of the Dominion of Canada, which was adopted in Confederation, and adopted not by the guarantee that proportionately the middle without the silghtest shadow of the leading men of the mode in which the senate should be appointed by the guarantee that proportionately the larger number of senators should for a single moment consider any proposal as Sir Wilfrid Laurier has committed linger number of senators should follow from such a pucerile proportionately the larger number of senators should follow from such a pucerile proportionately the larger number of senators should follow from such a pucerile proportionately the larger number of senators should follow from such a pucerile proportionately the should proportion of the constitution of the senate for such a proceeding as it does a guarantee for the lindicate of the sandler province and proportionately the larger number of senators should for a single moment consider any proposal enablement of senators should for a single moment consider any proposal containing the province of manifority of the House of Commons, a majority of the senator of the sandler province an to Samoa, and I have reason to believe that there is a pause in the interchange of views, and the governments cencerned are awaiting fuller information."

The Standard's Berlin correspondent says: "Mr. White, United States ambassador, informs me that the reports of a conference between him, Sir Frank Lascelles, the British ambassador, and Herr von Buelow, German foreign secretary, are mere newspaper inventions. He seems annoyed at the continuance of the newspaper allusions to alleged strained relations between Germany and the United States." Berlin, Jan. 24.—The United States arabassador, up to this afternoon had not received instructions from Washington in regard to the recent trouble in Samoa. The National Zeitung declares that no suggestion of a conference on the subject of Samoa has yet been made by any off the governments interested.

The foreign office despatches to-day give important details of the disturbances. It appears from them that the Supreme court at Apia was not closed by the German consul's orders, but by the orders of the Samoan government. It is said that the German consul was not even present when the incident occurred. Victoria Electors Told That Their Late Last evening when Mr. Beaumont Boggs took the chair at 8:20 at the gov-Boggs took the chair at 8:20 at the government meeting in Fairall's hall there were exactly 54 people in the audience, including, of course, many opposition supportrs. Mr. Boggs announced that Ald. Stewart would open the ball.

Mr. Stewart commended the proposal to remove the mortgage tax and for another reform advocated, leasing instead of selling the public land whereby, he said, taxation would be greatly reduced "pro ratio." He appealed to the cupidity of the electors, asking them to return members who would have the confidence of the government. return members who would have the confidence of the government.

Mr. Paterson spoke next and taking up his favorite subject of railway building and ownership, dealt with the Crow's Nest Pass road and he announced him.

cess claewhere. He also appealed to the audience to return men who would not be able to experiment and not members who would not be able to make up the loss of revenue answel by the abolition of the mortgage tax by making the mines pay their fair share of taxation. When a mine was sold, what it fetched was its value and on that value it ought to be taxed, said Mr. Paterson. He would be pleased to have commented on the late government's policy at greater length but time forbade.

Colonel Gregory made some facetions remarks with reference to a letter signed "Cultus" in the Times relative to phanks from the Turner platform. He accused the Turner platform. He accused the Turnerites, as he termed the constitutional party, of being afraid to be the total possession of using the columns of the Seglig Post-Intelligencer for the purpose of stirring mp an agitation against the act. An appeal to vote "the ticket, the audience that they said not been brought there to the columns in the search and nothing but the ticket, wound whis remarks.

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The chains of the Segliges," he continued, "are, we will not have anything under the rose bush," and he then called on Mr. Ralph Smith, M.P.P. Mr. Snith, who is identified with the New Vancouver Coal Co.'s interests at Nanaimo, talked at length about "the coal barrons of the provincial civil sevents, and an address made by Mr. McPhillips at Alapenia.

Mr. Belyea spoke briefly in support of the government candidates and after Coloration of the provincial civil sevents, and an address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr. Daters and address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr. Daters and address made by Mr. McPhillips. And an address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr. Daters and address made and the continued of the provincial civil sevents, and an address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr. Daters and address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr. Daters and address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr. Daters and address made by Mr. McPhillips. Mr.

and an address made by Mr. McPhilips at Alberni.
Mr. Belyea spoke briefly in support of the government candidates and after Colonel Gregory had made a statement that the proposed government redistribution bill would not affect the representation of Victoria, a voice called for three cheers for the government. The faithful cheered accordingly, the opposition replied lustily and the meeting terminated at 10.23 p.m.d.

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CONVICTS ON STRIKE.

Those at Kingston Penitentiary Refuse Work Because Soup is Too Thin.

prescribed by the inspector. The ring-leaders were imprisoned and the rest went to work when told that their griev-ances would be considered.

MUNICIPAL FRAUDS.

Confirmation of Report That Newfound-land Troubles Will Thus Be Settled.

London, Jan. 24.—In well informed quarters a representative of the Associated Press was informed to-day that a peaceful solution of the Newfoundland question between France and Great Britain is expected very shortly. It will include compensation to the French fishermen and the surrender of their rights under the treaty of Urecht. From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Jan. 24.—Steamboat companies operating from Vancouver have not cut rates as reported in Seattle.

A smooth Yankee has been selling small lumps of brass as genuine gold nuggets in Vancouver. The jewellery stores pronounced on several of these nuggets to-day. Davidson Bros. reported that two were brought to them.

Purser Richards, of the steamer Manauense, reports that Captain Edwards has been obliged to leave for the States owing to complications arising out of evidence given by him in a recent trial.

BUYING OUT FRENCH RIGHTS.

Paris, Nov. 24.—The chamber of deputies to-day resumed the debate on foreign affairs. Referring to Newfoundland the minister of foreign affairs, M. Delcasse, said the French rights there were incontestible, that no one questioned them, and that there was no reason to suppose that they would not be respected. The debate was then closed. Work Because son, ...

Kingston, Jan. 24.—(Special) — Forty convicts at the penitentiary refused soup at dinner yesterday and also refused to work because the soup and other food was too light for them. The food is that prescribed by the inspector. The ring-

Toronto, Jan. 24.—(Special)—The

#### ANTARTIC RESEARCH.

Suggested Joint Action of Germany, United States and Great Britain.

Partisan of American Lumber Interests Likely to Replace Him on the Commission.

WON'T STAY UNSEATED.

Ontario Candidate Disputes the Sup-posed Proof of Treating and Bribery.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—(Special)—Luc appeal of Dr. Lackner, the Conservative who was unseated in North Waterloo by the courts for bribery by agents and for personal treating, was taken up today in the court of appeal. Lackner appeals against his unseating.

Berlin, Jan. 24.—The minister of the interior, Count Pasadowski Wehner, during the course of the debate on home office estimates in the reichstag said Prince Hohenlohe, the imperial chancellor, was preperad to support the proposed Antartic expedition. He expressed the belief that Germany, the United States and Great Britain should net conjointly in the matter.

#### DINGLEY'S SUCCESSOR.

London, Jan. 24—William Henry, Earl Poulett, died in this city yesterday in his seventy-second year. It is probable that the succession to the title and estates will be disputed.

The death is announced of Mr. John Goundry Holburn, member of parliament in the Liberal and Labor interest for North West Lanarkshire. He was bern in 1843.

Spain Tells What Nations Will Not Be Sold Her Island Possessions.

London, Jan. 25.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard, telegraphing with reference to the bill to authorize the sale of the Carolines and other islands, says:

"The government, it is understood, will give the cortes an assurance that the Stands will not be ceded to the United States, Great Britain or Japan. It is expected that other nations besides Germany will bid for naval stations in the Marianne islands, and perhaps also in the Carolines."

CANADIAN ON THE NILE.

Kingston, Jan. 24.—Licut. Adams, I Kingstonian and graduate of the Royal Millitary College, hus been appointed to an important and lucrative position of the manager of Nile Delta light railway.

STOCKS, METALS AND PRODUCE. 0000000 Heavy Trading in New York Again but

at Greatly Reduced Quotations,

New York, Jan. 24.—The Comercial Advertiser's financial cable from London says: "Stocks here were brisk to-day and in Americans it was a day of specialities. There were free realizations here and on the whole the market was disappointed by the New York Central denail of the Yanderblit consolidation report, but New York came strong for the coalers especially on Ontario and Western, 10,000 being taken in one line, and the group raillied sharply. Baltimore & Ohio spurted in the street. London, however, was less confident being years and the parts from the Paris Bourse money was at the street. London, however, was less confident being years and the paris some quarters it is thought the bills. In Some quarters it is thought the out Thursday by reduced to 3 per cent. On Thursday by reduced to 3 per cent. On Thursday herefunced to 3 per cent. at Greatly Reduced Quotations.

77s, 12d.

New York, Jan. 24.—Enormous realization and short sales to-day materially affected the quoted price of stocks. The dealings were in excess of a million and a ti-frid and at no time did prices of the righer valued rallroad stocks reach yesterday's closing figures. Heavy sales in the early dealings were caused partly by the lower range of London quotations, and there were numerous declines exceeding a point. A sharp upward movement and point of the point of th

CIOSING QUOTATIONS. Jan. 23. Jan. 24.

to 60%; brokers, \$16; exchange, 2% to \$16. % brokers, \$4.05; exchange to \$4.27%, strong, straits, \$24.50 to \$25; plates

Saturday's Hockey Match.—This afternoon there will be a final practice of the members of the Victoria Hockey Club, commencing at 4:30 sharp, and members intending participating in the same are requested to catch the 4 o'clock car from Goverament street. It is most important for all players to turn out as this is the last opportunity for practising before the match with Vancouver on Saturday afternoon next at Oak Bay park. The team to represent this city in the game will be published in to-morrow's paper and is thoroughly representative in all respects. The game of field hockey has now become one of the chief sports in British Columbia, especially in this city, and the result of the above game is a matter of great interest. Vancouver is to be represented by practically the same team of pioneers which originally played under the chief promoter of hockey in this province, viz., Mr. W. J. K. Flinton, while Victoria has changed the personnel of its team considerably owing to the loss of several good players. Both teams have been practising faithfully, so a fust and close game should be the order of the day. The very reasonable charge of 25 cents will be made for admission, while the grand stand will be free. irm.
Speiter strong: domestic, \$5.00 to \$5.05.
Rosin and turpentine, dull.
Pietron, drm: southern, \$10.25 to \$11.75;
Northern, \$10.25 to \$12.25.

Chiengo, Jan. 24.—Wheat closed, Jan., 70c; May. 73¼e; July. 76%e to ¾c. Com.—Jan., 35¼e; May. 37¾c; July. 33⅓e. Oats—May. 27⅙e; July. 26¼e to ¾c.

### PERSONAL.

H. G. Barthrop, deputy colector of customs, Port Townsend, and Mrs. Barthrop, are guests at the Hotel Victoria.
H. M. Hammond, of the Western Union Telegraph Co., Scattle, spent yesterday Allan Cameron is over

J. A. Ritchie, of Scattle, is a guest the Victoria. Farrall and E. P. Davis, of Van-iver, registered at the Driard last

conver, registered at the evening.

M. Keefe and wife, of Sultan, Wash., are guests at the Victoria.

Vine and Mrs. Vine are in town from Metchosin and are staying at the Orien-

tal.

H. Hadwen, J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, E. Hutcherson and a number of others interested in dairying, are leaving by the Westiminster bout this morning to attend the Dairying exhibition to be held at Delta on the 26th and 27th.

#### MYSTERIOUS BILLY WINS.

New York, Jan. 24.—At the Lenox athletic club to-night Mysterious Billy Smith met and-defeated Billy Edwards of Australia in 14 rounds of hard fight-ing.

### LONDON BANK ROBBED.

London, Jan. 24.—Bank notes to the value of £60,610 have mysteriously dis-appeared from the Paris Bank, Limited, in Bartholomew lane, London. It is supposed that they have been stolen.

### THE CZAR'S PROJECT.

London, Jan. 25.—Russia, says the Rome correspondent of the Times, has spontaneously invited the Pope to send a representative to the forthcoming in-ternational conference on the limitation of armaments,

#### DIED.

WATSON-At Edmonton, Dec. 12, David Watson, of St. John, N. B. Result of an accident. Funeral, Wednesday, 10 a.m., from res

ence of F. Armstrong, 80 Michigan street Friends please accept this intimation.

KBEFF-At the family residence, 182 Fort street, on the 23rd inst, Capt. M. L. Koefe, a native of 'Harbor Grace, New foundland, aged 49 years. The funeral will take place on Thurs-day at 9:45 a, m. from the residence as above, and at the Roman Catholic cathe-dral at 10 o'clock. Friends will please accept this intimation.

WATERS—On the 18th list, at Nelson, B C., James Henry Waters, a native of Cornwall, England. The funeral will take place from the residence of his sisters, No. 12 Niagara street, James Bay, at 2 p.m., to-day-(Wed

CHICAGO-IIL. nesday) and later from the James Bay Methodist church. Friends will please ac cept this intimation.

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THE LOCAL NEWS.

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Salvation News.—Ensign Staigers, of the Pacific Province will conduct a special line light service in the Salvation Army barracks this evening. Adjutant Milner, a lady officer, will succeed to the command here in place of Adjutant and Mrs. Ayre, who go to Billings, Montana. The Army "farewells" from the old church next Sunday and will open out in their new quarters in the Y.M.C.A rooms about February 1.

rooms about February 1.

Condolence.—At a meeting of the Victoria Political Association last evening, there was passed a resolution of condolence with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edward Smith, Government St., the tragic death of whose son, Henry George Smith, ocurred a few months ago. The young man was an active and valuable member of the association during its last campaign, and in this resolution his associates express their appreciation of the services he rendered, their sense of the loss sustained in his death, and sympathy with the parents owing to the unusually painful circumstances surrounding the event.

while the grand stand will be free. This Evening's Benefit.—At A.O.U.W.

This Evening 8 Benefit.—At A.O.C.W. hall this evening a benefit will be tendered "Denver" Ed. Smith, who leaves shortly for San Francisco to meet Jeffics. Smith will give sparring exhibitions with three heavyweights and local lightweights will also provide entertain

To Organize.—This evening the meeting for the organization of a reading centre in connection with the University Association takes place in St. Andrew's Presbyterian school room and in addition several addresses will be delivered by gentlemen interested in this excellent work.

work.

Odd Fellows.—The following officers of C. O. O. F. elected for the present term took their seats last night: L.M., J. Tagg; P.N.G., R. H. Carter; N. G. W. Noble; V.G., R. Irving; Sec., H. Firth; warden, C. N. Moore! Con., J. R. T. Baker; I.G. A. S. Emery; R.S.N.G., T. Buckler; L.S.N.G., J. T. Burrows; RS.V.G., J. Richards; LS.V.G., R. Reid; auditors, Messrs, Watterson, Smith and Noble; trustees, Messrs, Noble, Hobbs and Watterson; surgeon, Dr. Carter, One proposition for membership was read and it was reported that the Daughters of Ruth would hold their second annual ball in the A. O. U. W. hall on February 4.

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HENRY P. WRIGHT, M.D.
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seene that had occurred in the house on Saturday was a most disgraceful one. Such a thing could not be allowed to occur in the house. A member of the house had referred to the Attorney-General at a public meeting and the Attorney-General at a public meeting and the Attorney-General had attacked the member in the house in the most barbarous and tyranical character. The language used by the Attorney-General was so filthy that it could not be repeated in the house. When the matter was brought up in the legislature the Attorney-General said he would repeat the filthy epithets and had gone further and attacked the credit of the member, a most scandaleral said he would repeat the filthy epithets and had gone further and attacked the credit of the member, a most scandalous thing for the Attorney-General of the province. For the first time in Britisk Columbia an effort had been made to tryannize a member of the house. The electors of Victoria could not endorse a party of which such a man as the Attorney-General had proved himself to be, was the leader. As the chairman had said, charges of corruption had been made against the late government. If that was true it was strange that the present government, who had been in power since June had not exposed it. The only charge made since the election was that an effort was made to get \$5,000 to expend in Cassiar. That money was asked to pay the workmen in hat district. The Lieutenant-Governor refused to sign the voucher but shortly after Mr. Semilia assumed power the voucher was passed. If it was so very bad for the late government to vote that amount, was it not just as bad for the present government, to do so?

When the Lieutenant-Governor dis-

which the indicated with the policy of the government he could make to form a government he called on Mr. Semilin. At that time Mr. Semilin and not as many supporters as he (Mr. Turner) had. Since then the now opposition had lost one supporter by death and and repeated now, one had turned traitor. He referred to Mr. Henderson and the statement before Mr. Henderson and the statement before Mr. Henderson and the the statement before the number for New Westminister. He had also made the statement before the number for New Westminister that he (Mr. Henderson had asked the then government methods that for he could not affort on the whole make the statement before the number for some had asked the then government methods that for he could not affort on the statement before the number for some had asked the then government methods that for he could not affort on the statement before the number for he will be seen that the could not affort on the statement before the number for he will be seen that the could not affort on the statement before the number for he will be seen the statement before the number for he will be seen the number for the statement before the number for the will be seen the number for the statement before the number for the will be seen the number for the will be seen the number for the will be seen the number for the statement before the number for the will be seen the number for the statement before the number for the will be seen the number for the seen the number for the seen the number for t

Messers. Turner, Hall and McPhillips at d'Fannivis' Hall Last Even.ng.

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to do any kind of jockeying and resort to any methods to hold their sents.

The government claimed to be a government for the workingmen, but there was no sign that they proposed to carry out any public works that would benefit the workingmen. In fact, the Attorney-General at the Victoria theatre had talked nothing but retrenehment and against borrowing. The only way to open up the province was the way it had been done by the past government—by the construction of great public, worst. The Attorney-General had had the hardihood to say that the railways could have been built without a cent of a subsidy. He had called the attention of the Attorney-General to the fact that the government at Ottawa, of which the Attorney-General was a supporter, had given the C. P. R. \$11,000 a mile to build the Crow's Nest Pass railway, and this in addition to a big land grant. Mr. Martin had replied that he repudiated that act of the Dominion government.

Before the election, continued, Mr. Me-

ad that act of the Dominion government.

Before the election, continued, Mr. Mc-Phillips, the members of the party now in power made all kinds of promises. Why, they were going to clear all the Chinese and Japanese out of the province. To find out what the government intended to do he had placed a question on the papers asking the leader of the government if it was proposed to introduce any legislation to prohibit or restrict the immigration of Chinese or Japanese. Premier Semlin had got around the question by saying that as it affected the policy of the government he could not answer it. This from the leader of the party who were going to do so much for the workingmen. They had ridden into power by a severe wrench of con-



turn out and mark his disapproval of the legislation passed by the present government, legislation that would make people on the outside think that British Golumbia had a very queer set of men at the head of affairs.

Mr. C. F. Beaven had seen seven premiers in British Columbia and he had no hesitation in saying that Mr. Turner was the best of the seven. He advised the voters to choose men, who they knew, and who had been tried. Mr. Martin since his advent to office had shown himself to be a most unkind man. The first thing he did was to discharge a young girl, whose father is bedridden, to save, so he said, a salary of \$20 a month.

On motion of Mr. G. Gray, seconded by Mr. H. Henley, the meeting unanimously endorsed the candidature of Messrs. Turner, Hall and McPhilips, and condemned the Semlin government's action in passing "the vicious and iniquitous Deane and Prentice bill, an un-British measure,' unprecedented in political history."

Stalled at Tagish.

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In regard to the story told by T. H. Hebb in another column of the Canadian mail piling up at Tagish, where ten tens are now accumulated, without seeming hope of going forward, a Victoria business man expressed himself very vigorously last night. If the story was correct, the thing was a scandalous treatment of business men, he said. The rails were supposed to go forward regularly from Victoria, but it was of no use if the post office authorities simply piled at accumulation up at Tagish or some other point on the way, for if people had known before-hand that this was going to be the way their mail was treated. known before-hand that this was going to be the way their mail was treated, they would certainly have preferred to pay one of the private mail carriers \$1 a letter and be sure that the letters got to Dawson in some reasonable time. As it was, many important letters in regard to business had been sent through the mails, and the utmost inconvenience would result were they not to get to their destination within a reasonable time.

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O'Hare.

Steamer Horsa came around from Esquimalt as expected last evening and wil Steamer Horsa came around from Ls-quimalt as expected last evening and will be sailing for Skagway on or about Saturday. Mr. J. B. McKilligan has been appointed general agent and the vessel's headquarters will be in Vic-

vessel's hendquarters will be in Vietoria.

The investigation into the collision between the steamers Al-Ki and Homer, which occurred at Seattle on the morning of January 20, commenced on Monday. Between 15 and 20 witnesses from both vessels were examined, and a decision is looked for in a few days.

The wreck of the steamer Brixham, which was sold at Seattle last Saturday on behalf of the insurance companies carrying policies on the vessel, brought \$700\$. The hull itself, which was bid in Tug Hope returned yesterday from lower than where she had been towing piles.

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#### NOT A MATTER FOR LAWYERS.

Mr. Bodwell told the people of Victoria on Monday night that the consti-tutional question involved in the dismissal of the Turner ministry was not a matter for them, but for lawyers to discuss on the floor of the house. Mr. Bodwell claims entirely too much for the dearned profession of which he is an orin this city, and he called upon the electto the lawyers to settle. If our business interests and our political freedom are to be turned over to the bewigged rapid. to be content with such measure of com-That stage has not been reached people do not assert their rights, no one

This attempt to withdraw the constitutional question from popular attention is an exhibition of the same fear, which which would lead to similar prosperity led Mr. Semilin to depart from the timeconored custom of meeting the house with a statement of what led to a change ia government during the recess. covernment fear the issue. They know that they have not a leg to stand upon if they attempt to defend the policy which placed them in power. A more cowardly exhibition never was made before a constituency. It is grossly unjust towards the Lieutenant-Governor. Mr. Semlin and his colleagues are either prepared to defend the constitutionality of the Lieutenant-Governor's course or they are not prepared to do so. If they are prepared, why have they not already challenged a debate in the house upon it? If they are not prepared, they have no an incoming ministry is not prepared to by Mr. Semlin had been allowed to con-defend the circumstances which led to trol the development of the province, the position. Mr. Joseph Martin poses in the use of Billingsgate. He is brave directions, would be for the most part a prostituting his position as a member hewling of the house to injure the standing of a reminding the electors of Victoria that fellow member. But he has so far the policy which Mr. Turner represents in regard to the Lieutenant-Governor. Columbia He is in office to-day because of an act third in the northern section of the prov dene by the Lieutenant-Governor. His acceptance of office was a declaration to statesmanship. No one has claimed that the world that he endorsed the action it is, but from a provincial point of the Lieutenant-Governor. By the principles of the British constitution he imperial point of view it is not without was bound the moment he took office to defend the Lieutenant-Governor's action at all times. That official cannot defend himself. He cannot enter the arena of political controversy. No newspaper, which has the least respect for the representative of the crown and the constitution of the country, will refer to an act of that official unless compelled to do so by the exigencies of a political situation. No speaker cares to stand on a public platform and attack an official who can not reply. The result of this natural recling would be that the constitution or the country might be violated, and one after another of our liberties be fileded away, and the only remedy would be revolution. But British countries are not in this unhappy condition. The constitutional principle is that an incoming ministry, which takes office by reason of the act of the cown or its representative, is as much responsible for that act as if the new ministers had themselves

advised it. The present advisers of the axe. The issue before the people rises Colonist any very great amount of con-Lieutenant-Governor are shirking their far above the level of personalities. It Victoria that the constitutional question is one that lawyers must decide.

The people of Victoria will know how

to resent the imputation upon their abil-

ity to safeguard their political freedom, just as they knew how to resent the imputation that they did not know what was for their commercial welfare. They will show that they have not given Mr. Bodwell a power of attorney to do their thinking for them on matters so vital to is at stake. The right of the repre sentative of the crown to dismiss a mina majority of the house, the justice of overriding the courts and seating memthe centralization of power in the hands of the Lieutenant-Governor and his advisers for the time being-these ques tions come very closely home to every men who values his liberty, and now we are told that we must hand them over to the lawyers to decide for us What is agitating France to its centre to-day is that the lawyers claim to have a right to say the people, and the consequence is likely to be revolution.

No, Mr. Bodwell, the question in issue in this contest is not one for lawyers. It is one for the people the man who waits upon customers from government, and the representatives o men, who enjoy the priceless boon any lawyer, who in the millinery of the stead of popular government. The prov bar ever attempted to "make the wors appear the better reason."

#### MR. J. H. TURNER

The Province reminds the Colonis that it not very long ago referred to Mr Turner as a statesman of the imperial type. This is an exaggeration, but it also reminds the Colonist that it has been re opening speech in the general campaign tion of the people of Victoria to the nain this city, and he called upon the electors on that occasion to vote down the Mr. Turner stood in the house, and of Turner administration because it had opposed the plans of his client, Mr. Corposed the his client, a matter for lawyers to settle, and the result would have been of imperial was his duty to his client to importance. Mr. Turner himself makes throw himself into the campaign and no pretences to statesmanship. He only clamor for the defeat of a government claims to know something about the which was opposed to schemes. Now he takes the position what will tend to develope those capathat the constitutional rights of the bilities, and to have been able, in conpeople of British Columbia must be left junction with his friends in and out of the legislature, to devise a plan whereby development would have been He can point to what has oc and begowned profession, we may as well hand everything to them, and learn or six years, where such a series of events has taken place, where such great prosperity and such measure of prosperity has been enjoyed by the peopolitical freedom as they see fit to let us ple, where so much has been done that is weighted with glorious promise for the in British Columbia. Our welfare is yet future, that the most part of the Speech in the hands of the people themselves, but how long it will remain there, if the mouth of the Lieutenant-Governor was devoted to congratulating the coun try upon the fruits of the policy of the late government in this regard. in other parts of the province. It is true that he was opposed by the present government party, then in opposition imposition of burdens upon the province which it could not bear, but every one knews that they said the same thing about the Kootenay projects, upon whose effect upon the country they now offer such congratulations. Mr. Turner would has done indicates imperial statesman He would be content with ascribing it to a common-sense, business-like appreciation of the condition of the

province. It is worth while reminding the electors of Victoria that if the policy represented by Mr. Turner had not prevailed for it is good constitutional law that if if the reactionary ideas of the party led its taking office, it has no right to accept Kootenay, instead of being in the pro cess of being grid-ironed by railways very courageous man. He is brave with cities and towns growing up in all shown himself to be the veriest poltroon aimed at developing in central British was bound the moment he took office to its importance, for no one will deny that

We have this remarkable and wholly thing that can be construed into an exunprecedented condition of things: A pression of esteem of the candidates, ministry has been dismissed by the Lieuwhose election he favors. Mr. Semlin tenant-Governor and the grounds of such dismissal have not been stated to the

To state such a proposition is sufficient to every man who understands the constitution under which he lives, and wher the constitution is mentioned in this connection, it is not the British Columbia statute so called that is meant, for that is merely an act to organize a provincial government. What is referred to is the British constitution, that sublime edifice, erected during centuries by men who "knew their rights and knowing dared maintain." If before the government had secured

a majority in the legislature by the most

unprincipled means ever adopted, the

grounds of the dismissal of the Turner ministry had been stated and approved

by the house, the sufficiency of the Lieu

tenant Governor's reasons would have been demonstrated, so far as this legislature is concerned, and the question would remain closed until after an appeal to the people; but that course was not taken and it is too late to take it now. Under the precedent now establish ed, if it is to remain the law of British of every profession, every trade and every occupation. The man who sits upon a dray, the man who carries his tion of himself and his colleagues tomorrow, and some one else may form a behind, a counter-these and all other the people may be kept in ignorance of of the causes which led to the change. British citizenship, are quite as able to know their rights and to defend them as would be the setting up of personal inince was for several days last August without a ministry possessing the contidence of the legislature or making any pretence to do so. It witnessed the ex traordinary spectacle of a Lieutenant Governor being advised by a gentleman not a member of the legislature who was the sole minister. Let there be no mis understanding upon this point. It is no contended that the Lieutenant-Governor may not call upon any man in the prov tention is that having done so, his res ponsible advisers must when they mee the legislature at once report the circum stances to the house and be prepared to bin. On that occasion Mr. Bodwell seemed to be animated by the belief that the commercial interests of Victoria he had been able to carry it into effect, stitution then there is nothing to prevent a Lieutenant-Governor, after supply has en voted, from dismissing his advisers and appointing any one whom he fancie to expend the money of the country, and so that he gets some one in office before the next legislature meets, who can by hook or by crook get a majority in the house, his conduct will never be passed upon by the representatives of the people It makes no difference that Lieutenan Governor McInnes to do anything of the kind. It is enough that something of the kind might be done with impunity, if the precedent which the present government seek to establish is allowed to remain

It is for this reason, among others that we call upon the people of Victoria. without respect to their previous politica affiliations, to declare for constitutional government by electing Messrs. Turner, Hall and McPhillips by an overwhelming

Owing to the position which the governtween Mr. Martin and Mr. Ellison, what sonal in its nature has become of public mportance. As Col. Baker pointed out, the government has accepted the res consibility of establishing a precedent which will have a tendency to degrade the legislature. Mr. Martin confessed to having used vile epithets towards Mr. They were epithets for using which any gentleman would have apolo gized. Mr. Martin did not apologize but repeated in the house such of the and claimed to have been justified in using the others. The government has permitted it to be made a precedent that this sort of thing may be done. Heremay be sufficient of a bully, may attack any other member in the lobbies with vile language, and if the insulted member complains, the bully may repeat his insults on the floor of the house with absults until the insulted party resorts to that Col. Baker, for himself and the opposition, went on record against such a gross departure from the rules of parliamentary procedure as well as from those of common deceney.

was very well attended, a great many oppositionists being present. Mr. Martin was the drawing card. He had been

responsibility, first by declining to avow is of vital importance, for if the electors that it should have been said. Usually it on the floors of the legislature and deshall endorse it by their votes, the last when a premier takes a place upon a pubfend it there, and second by putting for shred of popular government will be torn ward Mr. Bodwell to tell the people of from British Columbia. Probably Mr. Martin did not ception. tell him that he might say something

> President Schurman, of versity, has been sent to the Phillippines as a special commissioner to study the problems of the situation. Jacob Gould Schurman is a native of Prince Edward's Island and is yet in the very prime of life, having been born in 1854. He was professor of philosophy in Acadia College, Nova Scotia, and afterwards of Dalhousie College in the same province In 1884 he was appointed to the chair of philosophy at Cornell University, New York, and later became president of that institution.

Col. Gregory thinks that Victoria has had too much influence in provincial affairs, and so he offers himself as a can-didate. If Victorians agree with the gallant Colonel, they can correct the abuse by electing him to the legislature. His appeal to the electors is substantially: "Elect me, and thus shut the nouths of those who say that Victoria oncede the adequacy of the remedy.

It is only necessary to remind Colonist readers that there will be a mass meeting in the interest of constitutional government to-night in the Victoria theatre Every one is invited to be present. number of speeches will be delivered, and the very important issues of the campaign will be dealt with in vigorous To-morrow there meeting in Fairall's hall, Victoria West

### CURRENT COMMENI

EXTRAORDINARY FROCEEDING The advices from British Columbia seem to indicate that the new government out there, of which the Liberal "Joe" Martin appears to be the real master and the Liberal Lieutenant-Governor Melnnes a very good friend, has neted, not without profit, the late effort of the Ontario Liberal government to render the courts comparatively harmless on the eve of critical election trials. The Ontario Liberal plan was to provide that if any members were unseated be-

The Ontario Liberal plan was to provide that if any members were unsented becaused they had received the votes of the election constables, the vacant seat should in no case be given to the opposing candidate, who would thus be left a majority of votes; but a new election and another chance for the ministerialists would result. Out in British Colimbia the case seems to have been more desperate. The majority was a narrow one, and the seats of two supporters were in great danger. In both cases the opposition candidate might have been seated as the result of the judicial inquiry, and the government thereby defeated.

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have been scated as the testing the provided in inquiry, and the government thereby defeated.

But the government appeared to have helped to prevent this before the opening of the session, and then passed special legislation insuring their scats to their imperilled supporters and office to themselves so long as this session should last. The telegraph tells us that the peeple are very indignant at this course, and some idea of the extraordinary character of the proceeding may be gathered from the fact that this self-sustaining bill was actually passed and signed by the Lientenant-Governor before any reply was made to the speech from the tuner. When the peculiar circumstances under which the Lientenant-Governor dismissed the late government to make way for this ministry, when it was by no means certain that it was in a minerity, are called to mind in connection with this determined effort to keep this ministry in power, even the faraway spectator cannot help a feeling of apprehension. Things are not in a safe pesition in the country when ministerial majorities are used to vote safeguards about their own scats, in cases where the ordinary operation of the law might place them in jeopardy.—Montreal Star.

#### ANOTHER MISSION TO ROME. There have already been four missions. Rome in behalf of the Laurier gov

to Rome in behalf of the Laurier government.

The ambassadors were Rev. Abbe Proulx, Chevalier Drolet, Mr. Fitzpatrick, and Mr. Charles Russell, the London lawyer.

Mr. Russell made the last statement for Sir Wilfrid to the Pope thus:

"We do not solicit His Holiness to sanction as perfect the concessions obtained, but that in his wisdom he will be pleased to regard them as a beginning of justice."

Sir Wilfrid was here referring to the school bargain with Sifton and Greenway, which he had told us in Canada was conclusive.

way, which he had told us in Canada was conclusive.

Now another ambassador, Mr. Belcourt, has been sent to Rome, and it is thought that His Holiness, who was informed that the concessions were "a beginning of justice," while Sir Wiffrid was declaring in Canada that they were a complete settlement, is to be approached again because he wants to know when the conclusive and complete arrangement.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

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#### ANOTHER JOB

The Torrens system of land registrion is a good thing in itself, but if it arried out the way Mr. Jöseph Martarries out most of his plans, it will lound to be simply an excuse to dismit he clerks and registry office officials in the clerks and registry office officials and put his own creatures in distend, on the ground that since the system is new, new men can carry it out as well as the old ones, and ignoring the fact that if an official is proved to be a good one in one capacity he will likely be as good in a somewhat similar capacity.—Kamloops Standard.

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Borne to the Grave.—From the family residence, No. 195 Pandora avenue, and later from Christ Church cathedral, the funeral of the late Mrs. Helworth took place yesterday afternoon, At the church Rev. Canon Beanlands conducted an impressive service, which was largely attended. Those who acted as pallbearers were J. J. Switzer, D. McLaughlin, C. Taylor, W. Snider, W. Lenfesty and Mr. Burt.

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be any more than under the present act. The only proper way to introduce this new act was, he argued, to make it compulsory throughout the province in the case of transfers of land. He had always considered that the introduction of the Torrens system would increase the value of real estate because of the greater security of title and he believed that in a few years property owners would be surprised that the act had not been introduced before.

would be surprised that the act had not been introduced before.

MR. HENDERSON admitted that the present act had some features of the Torrens system, but the more important features of the Torrens system had been left out. For instance, the indefeasible certificate of title could not be secured under the present act unless a man had held his property for seven years.

Mr. Eberts—Will the gentleman tell me how he can get a better title under the Torrens system than under the present act?

ent net?

Mr. Henderson would not say it was
possible except that one could get an indefeasible title sooner under the Torrens

ystem.
Mr. Eberts—Then it would be only ne-essary to amend the present act in that

vay. Mr. Henderson was of opinion that in naking the change it was better to bring n the whole Torrens system. MR. McBRIDE did not deny that had

Torrens system been used at the out-a better condition of things might

(Applause).
MR. BOOTH did not want to give a

TAKES HIS SEAT.

The result of Mr. Tisdall's election was read by the clerk and Mr. Tisdall escorted by the Premier and Hon. Mr Cotton was presented to Mr. Speaker and took his seat.

RAILWAY REPORT. The railway committee reported, sub mitting the following bills with amend

NOTICE OF QUESTION.

provides that a min shall be built within two years? Have the arrears of rent due on the said leases, No. 7 and 9, held by the said company and stated at \$17, 748.85 in a return to the house on Mayel

23 last been paid, and if so, on what date?

Was a Draw.—The junior league ass

ciation football match on Saturday was a draw, neither the Y.M.C.A.'s nor Colum-

Admitted to Bail.—E. Tetu, who on Monday was committed to stand his trial on a charge of arson, was yesterday admitted to bail, himself in the sum of \$1,000 and one surety of \$500.

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The Real Property Bill Passes the Second Reading After Vigorous Protest.

Colonel Baker Tries Vainly to Secure Protection of Members From Insult.

The subjects which came up in the legislature to-day were the Real Property bill, which passed its second reading, and the question of privilege raised the day previously by Mr. Ellison in regard to the insulting language used to him on Saturday by the Attorney-General. RETURNS PRESENTED.

The Premier presented a return containing information on railway charters asked for by Mr. Helgesen some days ago. This return showed that the legis lature had granted 73 charters for railways, and that out of these twelve companies had built their roads.

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE. Col. Baker wanted to know if the Speaker had come to any decision in regard to the question of privilege

the Torrens system been used at the outest a better condition of things might
exist, but the act now in force had been
every satisfactory. Not an instance had
been cited where any one had suffered
through the present law. His objection to the act was that it would in many
instances work great hardship. The opseration of the bill should be optional and
he wished to put himself on record to
that effect. He would like to hear some
better reason given than had been advanced for changing the present system.
The member for Westminster at the
end of his remarks was challenged by
at Eberts to show where a certificate
of indefeasible title under the present
act was not as good as under the Torrens system and had to admit that by
taking out the words "seven years" that
the whole of the present system was just
as good as the Torrens could make. This
great cry for the Torrens system was
1 just to carry out the cry the government made on the hustings. As a fact
to the people would find when they got the
ew act that they had a very much more
expensive system than the present one,
(Applause).

MR. BOOTH did not want to give a regard to the question of privilege brought up by Mr. Ellison yesterday. Mr. Speaker had not been able to find repeater and to been able to mis-precedent which gave the Speaker jurisdiction on the matter as the ble did not occur in the house, there-it remained with the house to deal it if so inclined.

I. Baker quoted from May to show the lobbies were a part of the ie.

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Death's Hand.—Mrs. J. Prothero, of Herald street, died on Monday evening at the Jublice hospital. Deceased was a native of Cornwall, England, aged 71 years.

Funeral To-day.—The funeral of the late James Henry Waters, who died at Rossland last week, will take place to day from the residence of his sisters, No. 12 Niagara street.

Kept the Change.—A Chinaman was given in charge to Constable Abel yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Worden, of Yates Street, who charged him with stealing \$5 from her. Mrs. Worden owed the Chinaman 25 cents, and gave him \$5 to get changed.

Borne to the Grave.—From the family North and was prepared to give them to words and was prepared to

him (the Attorney-General) were false.

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Mr. Elison said he had noted down the words and was prepared to give them to Mr. Speaker.

Mr. Speaker did not wish to hear them. If the house wanted to act it could do so; otherwise the matter must down.

house appointing a committee of el was the very one he wanted taken. REAL PROPERTY BILL.

Eickhoff-Le Lievre.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Quadra street, on Monday evening, Mr. Henry W. Eickhoff, late of New Westminster, and Miss Eisther Vibert Le Lievre were united in marriage by Rev. J. C. Speer. Miss Trace attended the bride, and the groom was supported by Mr. A. A. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Eickhoff will reside on Cook street.

Two Minor Cases.—Yesterday's session of the city police court was a short one, there being but two cases before the magistrate. An Indian woman went to gool for 15 days in default of a fine of \$7.50 for drunkenness; and Donald McLean, on remand for vagrancy, not applied to the bride and own-cresshould be told that they were laborten under a sense of false security. It was not proper considering the time that the indefensible title now in use was good against the whole world except the crown made it quite unnecessary to make a change, for the new act would give no greater security. It was not proper considering the time that the indefensible title now in use was good against the whole world except the crown made it quite unnecessary to make a change, for the new act would give no greater sourity. It was not proper considering the time that the indefensible title now in use was good against the whole world except the crown made it quite unnecessary to make a change, for the new act would give no greater sourity. It was not proper considering the time that the indefensible title now in use was good against the whole world except the crown made it quite unnecessary to make a change, for the new act would give an operation that land own-form and the proper considering the time. 

A Generous Giver.—The treasurer of the Jubilee hospital has received from "A Bachelor" a present of \$100, to be used in connection with the maternity ward of the hospital. The board of di-rectors have their usual business meet-ing on Friday evening. Medal Competition—The fourin mountly competition of the Victoria Golf Club
will be played on Saturday. The competition will be played against "Baggev"
and a copy of the arranged score will be
placed in the club house. The ladies'
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A Ferry Proposal.-This afternoon the joint committee composed of the railway committees of the Board of Trade and Citizens' Committee meet to discuss a proposition which has been made by the Port Angeles railway people in regard to a proposed ferry between Victoria and Port Angeles.

expensive system than the present one; (Applause).

MIR. BOOTH did not want to give a silent vote. The government side seemed to think that the opposition were against the Torrens system, when as a fact the objection was that to make the change would be very expensive and there the act would not bring any improvement. The late Theodore Davie had brought down the Torrens act once, but withdrew it for that very reason. The present system was simple and effective and it was for those favoring the bill to show how this could be improved. Let the province have one system and let it be effective and not have it brought out on the hustings on every election. Hear, hear). The system the province had grown up with was perfectly simple and effective and when the Attorney-General spoke of it as one of the worst in existence he should have to prove his assertions.

The vote was taken on Mr. Eberts' amendment that the introduction of compulsory registration, under this act, of title to land is not advisable in the best interests of the province.

This was lost on division as follows:
For — Messrs, Pooley, Booth, Dunsmuir, Robertson, McBride, Baker, Eberts, A. W. Smith, Bryden, Ellison, Irving, Helmeken—12.
Against—Mossrs, Clifford, Jos. Martin, Semlin, Cotton, Higgins, Prentice, Macpherson, R. Smith, J. M. Martin, Deane, McKechnie, Kellie, Kidd, Kinchant, Helgesen, Munro, Green, Neill, Henderson—19.

The second reading of the bill was then put and carried.

TAKES HIS SEAT. Missionary Meeting.—The women's missionary societies of Emmanuel and Calgary Baptist churches will hold their annual meeting this evening in Emmanuel church at 7:45. Beside character sketches of the Baptist missionaries in India, giving the early life and call to the work, there will sliso be a paper, "Eleven good reasons why we should be introduced in missions," given by Mr. Elliott. Mrs. Clyde and Miss Trotter will also assist and music will be furnished by the combined choirs of both churches, under the direction of Mr. Geo. Watson. Meeting is open to all.

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New Patents.—According to the patent office report of Messrs, Thethewey & Brittain, there were 329 patents issued in Canada during November, 1898. Of this number 33 were assigned to manufacturing firms and others before the grants were made. The following British Columbians received patents that menth: Harold Bruce Findlay, of Rossland, acctylene gas generator: Charles Dr.vid John Christie, of Nelson, letterfile; James DesBrisay, of New Westminster, can-washing machine; Walter Morris, of Victoria, can-soldering machine; and Thomas Herbert Wymonde, of Vancouver, fish offal digester.

ments:
An act to incorporate the Vancouver,
Northern & Yukon Railway Co.
An act to amend the North Star &
Arrow Lake Railway act, 1898.
An act to incorporate the Kamloops &
Atlin Lake Railway Co.
The report was received.
The house adjourned at 4 o'clock.
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AGUINALDO'S STATEMENT OF

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2. Spanish laws giving all the liberties to Spanish subjects and restraining the Filipinos in every possible way.

3. The occupation of civilian offices by Spanish officers instead of natives.

As an illustration of the first reason, he told this story:

A priest had an eye on the good-looking daughter of a native. He put himself in correspondence with the civil guards, whom he bribed, and had the father of the girl arrested on political charges. He then took possession of the girl, the house, and the fortune of her parents; in other words, he had them confiscated, and divided the spoils with the civil guards. The prisoner was put on board of a transport and exiled to some Spanish island in the Atlantic, where he was put at hard labor, and where he soon after died.

Doctors, lawyers, educated men of all descriptions, even women, have been similarly dealt with, and Aguinaldo asserts that even now Spain holds over 3,000 such prisoners. In revenge the insurgents have locked up all the Spanish priests in the country, and hold them for exchange.—Capt. W. A. Harper, in Harper's Weekly.

More cases of sick headache, billous-The Kingston.—The steamer Kingston will leave the outer wharf instead of the inner wharf this evening at 8:30 for the Sound.

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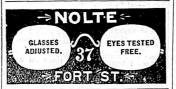
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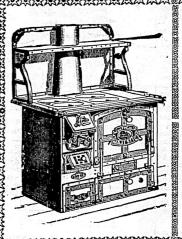
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scarcely ever do anything.

HIS BBAU IDEAL.

HIS beau ideal, or at all events his present day idol was Mr. Rhodes. What did he think of him? The greatest of living men. Wasn't it a rather sordid sort of greatness, all having a down the making of a complete the sorting of the governments as governments scarcely ever do anything.

contented. This does not look as if they

lesses of our dig warsards.

I bewey paid no more attention to them than as if they had been water flee, but so numerous did they become, emboldened by the indifference of our ships, that their presence soon stirred up on the state of our officers, who can be sent round a tag and towed thought he sent round a tag and towed the board his ship. After giving the native moderation that the Filiphon flag that the condition of the control of the state of the condition of the native showever, resented the entire proceeding, and, as he turned from the presence of Dewey, muttered and shook his head menacingly. The admiral noted the native's attitude and asked his interpreter what the fellow was saying.

"He says he will get even with you," the interpreter pelled.

The admiral, without a second's hestation, turned to an orderly and in his quick, decisive tone, said.
"Throw that man overcourd!"

The command we vercourd!"

The command we vercourd!"

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The admiral spends the most of his time aboard the Olympia. Only occasionally does he come to Manila, and then to hurry back, like a truant school-boy. At Cavite he sometimes amuses himself by wandering around the quaint old town, and it is said he dreams of a time when there will be a great naval station there, with the Stars and Stripes nalied to a must, the permanance of which no intion will ever question—Edwin Wildman in Leslie's Weekly.

DENNIS MORIARTY ON ADAM AND

changed to man i Whin Adam, changed- to-man from mud. In Alden's lovely garden shrud, He felt as bit conceiles the property of the conceiles of the conceiles of the conceiles of the condition of the condition of the condition of the condition of the laste evint. A single moment pravious, He looked so full it feightin' power, It's lovel so claim mischavious. Well, this bates Bannagher," saye he, "And who I am? That puzzles me; I nivir saw this place before, Or any other—which is more, Begor!! I'm fured intrely. I see me efficy is considered the condition of the last place in the condition of the last place in the condition of the last place before, Or any other—which is more, Begor!! I'm fured intrely. I see me efficy is conditionally in the last place around hid Stretched out's if in a feather bid.

"Musha! the saleret I have found Some one has made me from the I wonder's anny more around?"

I wonder's anny more around?"

Wid this he ent a shtout blackthorn, as hard's a thi-year-ould buck's horn, and marchin' out he yelled "Hurroon, If e'er a wan that's tired o' waitin' Will bouldly shtep before me view, If get the purtiest kind it batin' That many man iv rayme or raison "Ud want in any single salson." For hours he thravelled round the place, But nivir saw an inliny's face; For thim days boys took no delight in The fun we now call "faction fightin', There wor no dirty nane O'Gradys, O'Flannigans, O'Tooles or Bradys.

O'Flannigans, O'Tooles or Bradys.

Returnin' home he felt quite dhry,
And thought he'd dearly like to thry
A shmall taste of good cold poteen,
Isor looked in vain for a shebeen.
For timperance thin was all the go
Wid rich and poor wid high and low.
Wid fruit he had to quinch his thurst
And atin' till he thought he'd burst,
He picked a place anonder trees
To lay him down and take his ease.
Thin fwhat he nivir did before,
He shlept, and he began to shnore—
The first shnore in creation!
And while he shnored he dramed a drame,
The shwatest, too, that lyir came
In shimberin' miditation.
Now, what he dramed I'll not repate,
Bekase although it was so shwate
"Twas not a bit contrairy.
For whin he woke and rubbed his eyes
He saw a hivinly fairy.
The certifure shtooping o'er a brook,

The craiture shtooping o'er a brook, Reilleted saw her purty look, (As manny times slice thin in passin' The darlints, bless thim, look the glass She gaped, she frowned, she shmolted, secretal, and siveral other movements thried To see which was the most begulling. Thin afther manny a repetition. She voted for the best condition. Whin she was shmolling.

Not far beyant there grew a rose, And close beside in shwate repose. A howly shamrock clusther. The rose she plucked and threw away, The shamrock wove into a shpray which in her hair she wore that day And gave her chartmas a fusthre.

(I may add in parinthesis
There wor no thristles.
"Twas as a curse that they wor sint,
Like mate wid gristles.
For in the worruid's synthesis
They worn't meant.)

Now, where was Adam, d'ye moind, While thim invints were goin' an? Bedad, he'd shneaked away behoind A fince, like anny other man; While through a knot-hole he percaived. The form and faitures iv the gurl; And the impressions he recaived. Made his hid whurl. At last, remimbria', as he thrimbled ther. That "faint heart nivir won a lady fair," the bouldly marched into the open space and shtood before the colleen, face to face

Her back was to him, while she gazed aloft So to inches the maid he shlightly coughed For nivir havin' had an inthroduction He didn't know her name. Which ignorance is often an obsthruction, As yez know the same. Hearin' he cough, she turned around and thripped to'ards Adam wid a nimble bound.

bound; shamrocks glistened in her golden hair shamrocks glistened in her golden hair 1 Adam fell in love right thin and there f way she shtopped, not known't fwhat to do, how she got there was mystarious, loife and circumstances all wor new

"Begor," says Adam, "but I like your voice it sounds as musical as Irish verse; But have a moind that I am Hobson's choice, And yez may go much further and fare worse."

And yez may go much further and fare worse."
"Ye're Hobson's choice," says she. "What do ye mane?"
"I mane, says he, "Tye raison to belaive That all the worruld does not contain Another man but me, do ye percaive? Fwhereas it is not onpossible to suppose. That there are other gurls, and who knows But want thim may crown her mortia jog Be main' me her own thrue darlint bhoy We'll live as happy as a king and queen Will mik the cow and tind the little pig While I to grow the praties bravely dig, we'll live and love from year to year, and lvity day, begorn, grow more deart. We'll—"Hould, says says she, "take thing a little filey.

We'll—" "Hould," says she, "take thing a little alsy, and the say I wouldn't, and ye're crazy. I didn't say I wouldn't, and ye're crazy. To think that anny woman iv good sinse would answer 'yes' the very first purtinse. We dues iv coortin' I must have a wholly so I may use me flatthering kind iv shmolle, the lattering kind iv shmolle, the lattering beyont.

To make me shtory short, and not too long, Miss Alve consinted to be Adam's wife, And if the shnake had not made things go wrong Our ould first parents still would be in life. Now, this commodrum all iv yez may guess, And aich may do so thruly more or less: It thim ould couple had decided nay, Where would this gineration be to-day?

To the Sporting Editor of the Colonist:

To the Sporting Editor of the Colonist:

What is the meaning of a "carpet bagger!" I wish to decide a wager made the other evening in regard to the exact meaning of the term "a carpet bagger," and submit the following proposition for an answer:

Supposing a man who had a certain political following proceeded to Ottawa and demanded from the government a seat in the cubinet, but the government on account of the odium attaching to his name and career could not on any consideration agree to the proposition, but for the purpose of getting rid of and quieting him, they say to a corporation that is asking favors from them, provide for this man and remove him from giving us any further trouble and we will be free to deal with you. If the company referred to gaye this man ten thousand a year for two years or any sum between five and ten thousand, on condition that he would remove himself as far away from the seat of government as possible, and if the said generateman accepted the said sum or sums of money and agreed to the terms proposed, would you be justified in calling him a carpet bagger? Kindly answer through the columns of your paper.

WAGER. transhipment to points in the Yukon and Atlin districts can now have them sent forward as readily to destination at Lake

#### VENUS AND ITS MYSTERIES.

The most beautiful planet, and the ment of goods can be sent from Victoria to Nelson, by the American rallways. Say that a buyer in Atlin sends a Victoria tirm am order for goods. The consignee simply executes the necessary customs papers and places the goods into the charge of the White Pass Rallway Company, or the Chilkoot Tramway Company, and the goods are delivered at destination in Canadian territory on payment of freight. This places the shipper from Victoria on a better basis than the shipper from Seattle. Goods can be forwarded to the boundary line as readily from an American point, but here the Canadian customs steps in and the necessary entries, clearances and valuations have to be made, which means delay and greater cost, especially so if everything is not in order. This is all avoided by purchasing and shipping from Victoria. As an one that comes nearest to the earth, and most resembles the earth in size, is at the same time the most mysterious. Is That is to say, is it in a condition to support inhabitants, and is it probable that such inhabitants are there, or, on the other hand, is it unsuited for their presence and barren of living forms?

These questions astronomers at present are unable to answer, but their efforts to answer them and the observations that they have made of the mysticus that they have made of the mysticus that they have made of the mysticus that

tions that they have made of the mysterious planet possess an almost start-ling interest.

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ling interest.

First, let us briefly recall what Venus is. It is a globe like our earth, and of very nearly the same magnitude, having a diameter of about 7,700 miles, while that of the earth is a little more than 7,900 miles. So nearly of the same size are the two planets that if we could view them from an equal distance we should be unable, without the aid of instruments of measurement, to detect any difference between, them. The substance of Venus is slightly lighter, bulk for bulk, than that whigh composes the earth; but the difference in this respect is so little that again it would require special examination to distinguish by weight between a cubic foot of the soil of Venus and an equal amount of the soil of the earth. If follows that on Venus the force of gravitation or the weight of bodies does not greatly differ from that on the earth. If we could step upon Venus we should find that we had parted with a few pounds of weight, but the difference would not be very noticeable, except perhaps on the racetrack.

But this planet, so like the earth in

at Rossland by the body therein named: Be It resolved by the Council of the Provincial Rights Association of British But this planet, so like the earth in Columbia, that the Colonist, a public journal published in the City of Victoria, journal published in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, is entitled to the gratitude of Constitutionalists throughout the British Empire and the world for its able, honest and fearless defense of the rights and liberties of the people of this province—rights guaranteed them by an IMPERIAL COMPACT—the British North America Act, and which rights have been trampled upon by Thomas it, Meinnes, Lleutenant-Governor of the Province, by an arbitury abuse of the prerogative, when in August, 1898, he dismissed the government of Hon, John Herbert Turner, without just cause, and set up a defacto, but not a de jure government in its stead, and that as a consequence of such abuse, the defacto government of Charles A. Semlin, the nominal leader and premier is enacting infamous inignitous and unconstitutional legislation which is further menacing the autonomy of the province, and creating wide-spread alarm, apprehensions and discontent.

The council, therefore, recognizing the firm, manily and fearless stand taken by the Colonist in defense of the people's rights, and in defance of a tyrant, endorses, sustains and approves of the Colonist's temperace, dignified and learned defence of the constitution throughout, and that that journal he regarded by Rufats out of the colonist in defense of the people's rights, and in defance of a tyrant, endorses, sustains and approves of the Colonist's temperace, dignified and learned defense of the constitution in principles in this particular and that that journal he regarded by Rufats out the world and that that journal he regarded by Rufats out the world that constitutionalists throughout the world and that constitutionalists throughout the world we it an everlasting debt of gratitude.

noticeable, except perinaps on the face track.

But this planet, so like the earth in many respects, is very different from our globe in its situation. The earth's distance from the sun is 93,000,000 miles; the distance of Venus from the sun is 67,000,000 miles. This difference becomes a matter of great importance when we consider the effects which the sun produces upon the two planets. Heat and light, as everybody knows, vary intensely as the square of the distance. When we compare the square of the earth's distance from the sun with the square of Venus's distance, we find that the former is about double that of the latter. This means that Venus, on the average, gets twice as much heat and light from the sun as the earth gets.

But, on the other hand, we know that all forms of life depend for their existence upon the radiant energy of the sun. On the earth, when we pass from the Arctic regions towards the equator, we find the number of living forms and the variety and intensity of manifestations of life continually increasing, until, in the equatorial zone, earth, sea and air are all crowded with animate and growing things. The touch of the sun everywhere produces life, and in the absence of sunshine is death. It is but natural to infer that Venus, having twice as much sunshine as the earth, should be proportionately more crowded with animal and vegetable inhabitants, and that the intensity of life there should be correspondingly greater. Some geologists have thought that there was a time when the climate and grow the earth was so hot that trepical plants and beasts lived abundthe climate of the earth was so hot that trepical plants and beasts lived abund-dantly around the poles. A similar con-dition of things might be supposed now to prevail upon Yenus.—Harper's Round Table.

#### FASHIONS AND FURS.

Fashion has much to do with the posttion in public favor held by different furs in different years. But there are at least five which must always hold their own on their merits, and, like diamonds, pearls and gold, are never out of fashion. These retose of the sable, the seal, the beaver (for men's fur coats), the sea otter and the silver fox; and next after after these are a list of at least twelve, with power to add to their number, which, though subject to the fuctuations of fashion, are among the most beautiful of natural ornaments, and additions alike to comfort and to costume.

The fluctuations in fashion are by no means merely capricious so far as they affect furs. Different materials or thus need different furs to trin them. If, for instance, colored velves are to be worn in mantles and capes, then the line is a portage to most charming furs. Fashion has much to do with the post-

in mantles and capes, then chinchilla is perhaps the most charming fur. If heavy silks and black satin and beads are in finshion, nothing suits these so wel as scalskin and sable. One year almost all young ladies took to wearing jackets with smooth warm-brown cloth. Mink was exactly the fur to suit this. If pearly gray cloth or powder blue were fashionable, a demand for Canadian lynx or blue fox would probably be created. But an increasing point in connection with any change in fashion, is that there is always some fur which seems "exactly the thing," to suit it.—Cornhill.

HOW TO WALK WELL.

The prettiest walk is to be obtained by pointing the foot, then placing its ball on the ground, resting on it for the fraction of a second and very lightly and almost imperceptibly raising the body on it toward the toe before following it with the other foot.

If it were always borne in mind that to keep the toes slightly pointed in either walking or when sitting, the instep of even the flattest foot would gradually grow arched.

The shoe always indicates the tread of the wearer. When trodden down uneventy on the side, it shows that the foot turns over too much on the outside or in side. If it points upward at the toe, it is a sign of a flat foot. In fact, it is solly then the greatest size to be built of the foot that one may be sure that its wells. Perseverance and a study of the methods employed by those who walk gracefully are all that is needed, but women very targely realize that it iles in their power to attain these results.

Carrying a burden upon one's head and walking barefooted are sure methods of acquiring the graceful carriage possessed by the women of France and Italy.

Ladies' and Children's Jackets at

Eithe bane of so many lives that have is where we make our grack loast. Our pills cure it white chere do not.

Cartor's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take, One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly regetable and do not gripe or pure, but by their gentle action please all who has them, Invisiant its cents; five for \$1. Sold by druggies everywhere, or sent by mail. Ladies' and Children's Jackets at

CARTER MEDICINE CO., New York cost for next tendays. The Sterling, Small Pil Small Dosa Small Price 88 Yates street.

We take the constitution down
And con its pages o'er,
The nations join and study law
As they ne'er did before.
We prime our guns that Liberty
O'er all may rule, serene,
But Aguinaldo goes and gets
A can of kerosene.

When he should toll with midnight oil, All patiently to learn.

tion in the Northwest Rapidly and Satisfactorily. Parties purchasing goods in Victoria for

Bennett or Atlin City as easily as a ship

ment of goods can be sent from Victoria

Yours truly,
THOS. EARLE.

The following resolution was adopted

British Columbia, is entitled to the grati

Beauty bore to Dreams last night Three fair children, wonderful, white Terror, Wonder, and World's Delight

Plait upon plait of brown her hair Hung, and shadowed her bosom ba

Terror was born with a caul, they say; First of the three to face the day, He shall not be drowned nor cast away. —Pall Mall Gazette

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles inci-ficat to a billious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Naussea, Drowsiness, Distreys after sating, Pain in the side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet Cortor's Little Liver Fills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, at imulais the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only nared

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# Constitutional Government ALTERATION

Turner, Hall, M'Phillips

Victoria Political Organization

Committee Rooms. Foresters' Hall

73½ Government St.

Men looked with wild indulgence once;
But patience soon is spent
When he attempts to daily with
That wild experiment.
His breastplate and his whistle shrill
Of gaudy, golden sheen,
We'll leave him. But we'll take away
His can of kerosene.
—Washington Star. Will be open from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. every day. Victoria Consignments Reach Destina-

God Save the Queen.

### \$2,000 Worth of New Goods

45 JOHNSON STREET

ON THE MARKET ON MONDAY In order. This is all avoided by purchasing and shipping from Victoria. As an evidence of the manner in which the White Pass company is now handling business, the following voluntary statement from Thos. Earle is printed:

J. H. Greer, Esq., Com'l Agent W. P. & Y. R., City.

Dear Sir:—I am pleased to advise you that the shipment made by me 15th December by your line reached Log Cabin, B.C., in first class shape, and I am advised by consignee that your company handled the freight in a very satisfactory manner. Yours truly,

the latest fashion at a reasonable rate.

TWEEDS, WORSTEDS, SERGES,

GIVE US A CALL

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### J. N. S. WILLIAMS,

ENGINEER is prepared to supply and erect in working order Mining, Milling and Metallurgical Machinery by the best makers. Hand, power and diamond rock drills a specialty. Office, No. 14 Board of Trade Bldg, Victoria. P.O. Box 641.

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con'amination, is light, durable and costs but a trifle .....

The E B EDDY GO. Limited J. MITCHELL, Agen

### TENDERS.

Up to 4 o'clock on Monday, the 30th inst. tenders will be received for the following supplies for the current year, viz: Groceries, Butchers' Meat, Milk,

Bread, for the Home for Aged and Infirm. Also for Forage, Lumber, de livered as and where required. Nails per keg. Cylinder Oll, Dynamo Oll as samples. Bricks, delivered a and where required. Cement (White's Portland). Castings, per lb.

Separate tenders for each description of supplies are required, and must be scaled and addressed to the undersigned and en-

dorsed "Bender for Supplies."
Specifications and forms of tender can be seen at the office of the undersigned or any other desired information. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT Purchasing Agent for the Corporation.
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.,
January 18th, 1800.

# Dairymen's Association of B.G. An

Ladner's, 26th and 27th Jan.

EXHIBITION OF DAIRY PRODUCE

Addresses by C. C. Macdonald, dairy com-missioner for Manitoba, C. Marker, W. H. Hayward and others. Single Fares Per Can. Pac. Nav. Co.
G. H. HADWEN, Sec. Treas
A. C. WELLS, Pres.

FOR TEN DAYS ONLY.

We will sell the balance of winter stock

Gommencing Monday. Jan. 16 MRS. W. BICKFORD, 61 and 63 Fort street.

# CUSTOMS BLANKS

All the New Forms Required by the New Customs Regulations

Are to be had at the office of THE COLONIST in any quantity desired.

### ATLIN MINES

INFORMATION

Can be had by applying to RANT & JONES Notaries Public, Mining Brokers and General Agents

ATLIN, B. C.

### The Victoria Wharf & Warehouse Go, Ltd

Six Per Cent. Debentures

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the conditions upon which the above mamed debentures were issued, a drawing of the debentures to be paid off at par on the 1st of March next will take place at the company's office, Wharf street, Victoria, B. C., on Wednesday, the 1st of February, at 11 a.m.

The numbers of the drawn debentures will be duly advertised for the information of the holders thereof.

Wharf street, Victoria,

January 16th, 1809.

### **JEWELRY**

Watches, Glocks and Silverware

Can be bought at Stoddart's at prices (considering quality) quite as cheap as the Eastern houses adverties their goods. The customer in buying here will save freight, and if the goods are found not satisfactory can obtain an exchange easier than sending goods back to Toronto, etc.

Waitham Watches from ... 5.00
Elgin Watches from ... 5.00
In Solid Silver Cases ... 5.00
Gents' Solid Gold Watches from ... 18.00
Ladies' Solid Gold Watches from ... 18.00
JEWELRY AT SIMILAR REDUCTIONS.
Diamonds set in Sold Gold Scart
Plus from ... 2.00

STODDART'S JEWELRY STORE

68-68% YATES STREET. Cash purchaser of Nugget Gold to any

Mortgugees' Sale Monday, 30th January, 1899, at the Board of Trade Building, at

I have been instructed to sell by public auction, under the powers of sale contained in certain mortgages registered in the Victoria Lund Registry Office, in Charge Book, volume 5 folio 637, No. 3555B., and volume 7, at folio 367, No. 6290, respectively, and transferred by deeds registered in the said office in Charge Book, volume 12, folio 637, No. 15855B., the foliowing hereditaments, situate in the City of Victoria: Lots one to ten (both inclusive), in Block V. and the said to some to the foliowing hereditaments, into the control of the

### JOSHUA DAVIES

AUCTIONEER.

Under instructions from the mortgagees, will sell at the Board of Trade building

Tuesday, Jan. 31, 1899

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

All that piece or parcel of land situate at Clarton, British Golumbia, and known on the official maps as section 20, range 5, Coast District, containing 150 acres (more or less), from which a small strip of land lying in the southeast corner, containing 1:13 of an acre already conveyed to the Bishop of Caledonia, is excluded from this sale. Together with all the improvements, which consist of the ROYAL CANADIAN PACKING CO.'S CANNERY, and all the Plant, Machinery, Boats, Nets, Gear of all sorts in and about the cannery building, the saw mill building, machinery and articles belonging, the store and stock in trade, the dwelling houses and cabins erected thereon.

The said premises comprise a complete canning establishment.
For further particulars apply to Messrs.
Bodwell & Duff, solicitors.

Notice is bereby, given that application. AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners at Victoria, B. G. at transfer of the retail liquo lites at the premises known as corner of Yales and Waurr streets, in the city of Victoria, to C. R. Lawsen.

Victoria, b. U., December 15, 1898.

# Orohibition prohibits no one from drinking and enjoying Blue Ribbon beylon Gea.

#### REUNION.

Swords of the snow-clad Northland, Swords of the rose-elad South; Braving as one the foeman, Daring the cannon's mouth.

Ye tell the end of the story Written in letters of blood written in letters of blood, When against sons of the Northland Sons of the Southland stood.

Ye tell how in fire of battle Perished the Stars and Bars; But the flames they fed shed glory Anew on the Stripes and Stars.

And the fame of the Gray that perished, And the fame of the Blue that won. Are yours ye swords of the Northland And swords of the Southern sun.

Then where the battle surges, Together flash on the foe, Guarding the starry banner Wherever it chance to go.

And men of the North who die there, For you shall the Southland weep; And roses and rich magnolia Shall bury your ashes deep.

And men of the South whose life-blood is staining the Cuban earth, The Northland shall mourn and bless y As children of her own birth.

As children or ner .... And thou, great united nation, Whose sons thus die for thee, Born of the Gray that peris And the Blue of victory,

Thou shalt cherish alike in glory.
Thou shalt honer alike the name
Of the sons of the South and the Northland
That die for the flag and thy fame
—Joseph M. Proskauer, of Mobile, in the
Columbia Literary Monthly.

#### RELIGION IN 1898.

Review of a Year's Development Among the Different Creeds.

the Different Creeds.

A review of the religious world during 1598 would not be complete without taking some note of the religious impulse that is coming more and more to manifest itself outside of the clurch organizations. It is not easy to estimate the strength and value of this impulse, for in the nature of the case it does not readily lend itself to classification. The secularist is not inclined to take account of it, for in his view religion has no necessary relation to ethics and conduct. Nor is the orthodox churchman more willing to recognize it, since he is bound to maintain that religion can be effective only when eshrined in the organization. Nevertheless, modern civilization to-day is to a large degre swayed by ideas which it learned from Christianity. And it is those ideas that are giving it its strength and impetus. It is Christianity guite as much as civilization that is striving to replace Mahometanism on the shores of the Mediterranean, and Christianty is no less a potent factor in Africa, China and Jupan, where civilization and barbarism are locked in a death struggle. Even the secular affairs of the world's great nations bear witness to the same thing, for the principles of jussifice and brotherhood that are finding the content of the world's great nations bear witness to the same thing, for the principles of jussifice and brotherhood that are finding the content of the world's great nations the same thing, for the principles of the same thing, for the principles of the world's great nations the same thing, for the principles of the same thing, for the principles of the world's great nations the same thing, for the principles of the same thing, for the principles of the world's great nations the same thing, for the principles and problemed the same thin

struggle. Even the secular affairs of the world's great nations bear witness to the same thing, for the principles of justice and brotherhood that are finding voice in the new sociology are essentially Christian.

As regards the activity of the churches, there is much to record. For the first time in their history, the Congregationalists held their triennial council on the Pacific Coast. They took steps to further the federation of their benevolent societies, have sent a deputation to China to study their missionary work there, and have strengthened several of their schools and colleges. The theological storm in the Presbyterian church appears for the time to have subsided, and the general assembly of last May was unusually peaceful. The church, however, is in a state of unrest, which will continue until some modus vivendi is found for the conservatives and liberals. The Episcopal church held its triennial general convention in Washington. Its sessions were not fruitful in much legislation, but, on the whole, marked an advance in the growth and prosperity of the church.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

When the nervous energy necessary to support the activity of the body becomes temporarily exhaustetd, when the organ sof animal life become fatigued, and are unable longer to perform their proper functions for want of their usual nervous stimulus, the state of sleep is induced—"Tired Nature's sweet restorer," as it has been felicitously termed by the poet. The perception of objects becomes confused, the revoses grow dim, the lids drop, the muscles of the body relax, and it sinks naturally into a horizontal position with the head falling forward, and the object lapses into that condition which the French term "demi-sommeil," a state of deep reverie, quickly followed by sleep, which absorbes the last glimmerings of consciousness. Insects and fishes, we are told, require the least sleep, the explanation being that in fishes the nervous system is but imperfectly developed, whilst with insects they often remain so long in an enforced state of torpor, as at other times to require but little sleep at all. Birds sleep much more than either, but the slightest noise or movement will awaken them. There is the instance of the cackling of the sacred Roman geese saving that city from the soldiers of Brennus when the watch dogs and sentries were slumbering at their posts.

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In quardupeds the brain and spinal marrow are more fully developed, with the result that those animals which are active by day sleep at night, whilst those that roam throughout the night in search of prey sleep by day. They accommodate themselves, however, to the usages of civilization in capacity; thus the animals in the zoological gardens remain awake during the day time and sleep at night time. The smaller monkeys do not require much sleep, but the large baboons and gorillas, whose brain organization resembles that of man, will take six or eight hours. Man, deubtless in consequence of excessive nervous energy, will take even more. It has been truly said, "Man sleeps longer than any of the larger animals."

During sleep both the respiration and circulation diminish in rapidity, and the pulse becomes slower and fuller. The temperature of the body falls below its waking standard. Hence during sleep there is less resistance to the cooling

buses becomes shower and timet. The temperature of the body falls below its waking standard. Hence during sleep there is less resistance to the cooling power and effects of cold generally than when we are awake. A draught of air is far more dangerous in the sleeping state, and the lesser vigor of the back of the body to the front is evidenced by the fact that a draught at the back is much worse than in front. The cold strikes the spinal column, the back-bone, unlike the chest, having but little muscular protection. Therefore, during sleep, the back should be well covered. Intense cold produces sleep, for in a severe winter it is not uncommon to find people lying dead in exposed out-of-door spots. In high Northern latitudes it is invariably the sleep of death which follows those whom drowsiness attacks in the open air.

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disturb Christians will find a solution which will give a partisan victory to neither party to the controversy.

Every household should have on hand a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment. The diversity of uses to which it can be put and the many doctor's bills it saves warrants it in taking first place in the family medicine chest. All dealers sell and recommend it.

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pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsla shows itself not in the stommer so much as in nearly every organ. In some cases the heart palpitates; in others the bowels are con-stipated, with headaches; still others are



PROF. HENRY W. BECKER, A.M.

Steamer and Railway Time Table, Arranged for the Convenience of Readers.

For convenient reference the following information in regard to the time tables of steamers and trains and on postal and other matters relating to the city will be found useful. The information is given us concisely as possible for the benefit of the busy public:

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER ROUTE. Steamer Islander leaves C.P.N. wharf daily (except Monday) at 1 a.m. for Vancouver, and arrives at Victoria at 7 p.m. daily (except Monday).

VICTORIA-WESTMINSTER ROUTE. Steamer Princess Louise leaves C.P.N wharf, Victoria, for Westminster an Fraser river points on Sunday at 11 p.m and on Wednesday and Friday at 7 a.m. arrives at Victoria on Monday at 9 p.m. and on Thursday and Saturday at 3 p.m.

FOR PUGET SOUND.

Steamer City of Kingston leaves Victoria for Seattle from C.P.N. wharf daily (except Sunday) at 8 p.m. and arrives daily (except Sunday) at 4:15 p.m.

FOR PORT ANGELES. Steamer Garland leaves Turner, Bee & Co's wharf on Monday, Wednesday a Friday at 5 p.m., and arrives at Victo on Saturday and Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Steamer City of Nanaimo leaves the E. & N. wharf on Tuesday at 7 a.m. for Co-mox, connecting at Nanaimo on Wedness day morning with the train from Victoria. Sie arrives at Victoria on Saturday at 4 p.m. VICTORIA-COMOX ROUTE.

FOR TEXADA AND SOOKE

Steamer Clayoquot will leave Victoria for Nanaimo, Thursday 6 a.m.; Nanaimo for Texada, Friday 7 a.m.; Texada for Nanaimo, Saturday 7 a.m.; Nanaimo for Victoria mo, Saturday 7 a.m., Nanaimo for Victoria Tuesday 6 a.m., calling at way ports Every Wednesday at 7 a.m. the steame will leave for Sooke and return same day. NORTHERN B. C. ROUTE.

Steamer Danube leaves C.P.N. wharf, Victoria, for all Northern British Columbia ports and Skagway. Wrangel and Jinean on the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 p.m.
Steamer Willapa leaves C. P. N. wharf on same route on the 8th and 22nd of each month at 8 p.m.
Steamer Cutch leaves Porter's wharf, Victoria, for Port Simpson and way ports on the 4th and 18th of each month.

WEST COAST VANCOUVER ISLAND. Steamer Queen City leaves C.P.N. wharf or Alberni and Barclay Sound ports on 10th, 20th and 30th of each month, and for Quatsino and Cape Scott on the 20th only. RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

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For Namalmo, Wellington and intermediate points trains leave B., & N. station, Store street, daily at 9 a.m., and arrive at Victoria at 12:07 p.m. An additional train leaves Victoria Saturdays at 3 p.mp., and arrives at Victoria at 6.25 p.m.

For Saanlchton and Sidney trains leave V. & S station, Hillside avenue, daily except Saturdays and Sundays) at 7 a.m. and 4 p.m., and arrives at Victoria 9:08 a.m. and 6:08 p.m.

On Saturdays and Sundays and Sundays trains leave at 7 a.m. and 2 p.m., and arrive at 9:08 a.m. and 6.08 p.m.

POSTAL INFORMATION.

The post office general delivery is open

PAIN IN THE BACK.

Being troubled off and on with pains in my back, caused by constipation, I tried several kinds of pills I bad seen advertised, and to put the truth in a nut shell Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the only pills, that have proved effectual in my case. I can heartily recommend them.

FIRE ALARM BOXES.

To ring in an alarm break the glass covering the key, open the door and pull down the book on the inner door once and let it go; remain at the box to direct the firemen.

All the fire halls are connected with telephone 538.

3-Birdcage Walk and Superior street, James Bay.

4-Carr and Simcoe streets, James Bay.

5-Michigan and Menzies streets, James Bay.

6-Menzies and Niagara streets, James Bay.

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3-Montreal and Sincow street, James Bay.

4-Vancouver and Burdette avenue.

15-Doughs and Humboldt streets.

16-Humboldt and Rupert streets.

25-Fort and Government streets.

25-Johnson and Government streets.

26-Doughs at, between Fort and View.

27-No. 1 Fire Hall, Fandora streets.

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36-Junction Oak Bay and Cadboro roads.

37-Cadboro and Richmond roads.

41-Quadra and Pandora streets.

42-Chatham and Blanchard streets.

43-Spring Ridge.

51-Doughas and Discovery streets.

52-Government and Princess streets.

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Profit by the experience of the state o in good health and spirits in the year round. All druggists sell this standard English preparation at 60c a large bottle; trial size, 25c.

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began to realize for himself that his case was hopeless he took his case in his own hands, determined to fight for his life. He experimented with many so-called cures without relief. South American Kidney Cure was brought to his notice, and like everything else, he tried it—to his astonishment he began to feel better under its astonishment he began to feel better under its bottles—and to-day that same young man can be found at that same lathet, working for that same concern, hale and hearty as the first day he went there. He gives all the credit to South American Sciency Cure. SOUTH AMERICAN NERVINE-Is a nerve bealer. Cures indigestion and all stomach tro

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In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate of a Certificate of Title to part (seven and one-fourth (7%) acress of Section Nineteen (12), Victoria District (now within the limits of Victoria City), NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to Issue a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above lands, issued to Joseph Despard Pemberton, on the 17th January, 1893, and numbered 746.

S. Y. WOOTTON,

A LAND REGISTRY ACT.

numbered 745.

8. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General,
Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C.,
8th December, 1808.

NOTICE.

NOTICE.

I hereby give notice that I will at the next meeting of the License Commissioners for the elty of Victoria, B. C., apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines, spirits and linqors by retail, now held by me for the Jubilee-saloon, No. 49 Johnson street, Victoria, to John McPherson and Hugh Simpson, of the said city of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., January 16th, 1899.

Witness: David Leeming (clerk to E. M. Johnson), Victoria, B. C. B. G. WALKER:

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#### THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office, Victoria, Jan. 24, 8 p.m SYNOPSIS.

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The barometer remains low and the weather mild throughout northern British Columbia and Alberta, while the extensive high area mentioned yesterday still covers the American Pacific slope. Moderate winds prevail along the coast from California to Vancouver Island, while further north there are indications of high winds or gales. The weather has been showery in Western British Columbia, and fair eastward to Manitoba where a general snowfail is setting in.

TEMPERATURES.

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Min	Max.
* 44	46
Victoria 24	34
Kamloops 26	38
Rankerville 28	44
Calgary	-2
Winnipeg	48
Portland, Ore 48	68
San Francisco, Cal 48	
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For 24 hours from 5 a.m. (Pacific	(ime)

Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh winds, mild with occasional showers. Lower Mainland—Moderate to fresh winds, mild, with occasional rains.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD. Report for twenty-four hours ending of January 24.

The velocity and direction of the were as follows:

E. BAYNES REED, Provincial Forecast Official.

PASSENGERS. By str. City of Kingston from the Sound: Mrs. Burns.
J. A. Bloom.
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J. J. Watson.
Wm. Lee.
H. Keepland.
WE. McKenzle.
C. F. Cordes.
H. H. Davis.
A. Poulet.
& wife.F. Schoper.
Lottle Henderson
Capt. Robertson.
Ham-Mrs. D. Watson.
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J. H. Todd Son.
royline Ulgar Co. Geo. Cark.

gr from vancouver J. Morley. J. Maynard. J. Marks. M. W. Waitt & Co. J. Selz. J. Campbell. Jall. Inland Rev. J. A. Richardson. McCandless Bros. Jarsons Produce C.

Recent Estimate Is That Thirty Millions in Gold Will Be Taken Out.

Scandalous Neglect by the Postal Authorities Works Great Hardship on Miners.

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clergy, frequently have amusing tales to tell. A Canadian barrister is responsible for the following: One day a farmer came into his office and requested that a holograph will should be prepared for his signature. The lawyer began at once to explain terms, but the tiller of the prairie, who prided himself not a little upon his legal knowledge, only grew angry. "I want a holograph will," he added in parenthesis. When the impossibility of his request was pointed out, he angrily stumped from the office, shouting out, "D.— it! If I can't have a holograph will, I'll blamed well die intestine!"

Civil Engineer's Plan to Save the Battleship—He Wants to Exhibit the Wreck.

Seattle Post-Intelligencer

From the Scattle Post-Intelligencer.

There is a gentleman at the Hotel Butter from Victoria, but who halls from namy parts of the world, with a scheme to raise the sunken battleship Maine, in Havanna harbor, and to take her to New York, where the vessel may be placed on exhibition. He does not want the Malpe to be forgotten, but wishes her set up as a symbol of patriotism and a visible example of Spanish treachery.

This gentleman is an English civil engineer, Henry Parker, who has been for many years connected with large engineering projects. Mr. Parker has a definite and detailed plan for raising the battleship. He has studied the subject closely and has no doubt whatever that he would be successful were he to undertake the work. He talks on the subject with the fervor of an enthusiast, rattling off intricate figures and propositions of hydraulic engineering with an ease that shows familiarity with the subject.

McGee, of the bureau of edinology.

The position of stenographer in the executive chamber in Albany, formerly held by Miss Margaret Gould, is now filled by a man. The alleged reason is that Governor Roosevelt, whatever his reasons about the advancement of women, does not like to have them around when deeply immersed in business, and the inference is that when in such situation he is given to a vigor of language and behavior that would render a woman's presence inconvenient.

If it wasn't for a dressmaker making her patrons call on her a dozen times to get a garment made, some of the women would have no exercise.

The women are complaining, since the streets were recently washed the crossings are so clean that no excuse is lefe for holding up a dress skirt and showing a slik petticoat.

There are worthy, successful young men

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There are worthy, successful young mer who don't wear a chrysanthemum as large as a cubbage, but it is hard to make young girls believe it.

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Clack Muslin, 27 in., reduced from 20c to 81-3c.
Colored Sateens, 27 in., reduced from 20c to 12½c.
Taffeta Silk, all colors, reduced from \$1.00 to 75c.
Black Silk, reduced from \$2.10 to \$1.50.
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